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Docket No. : 101919.56851C3  
Customer No. : 23911  
  
Title : M. Canis Containing Ringworm Vaccine

**REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
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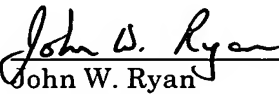
Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 18, 2006, Applicants provisionally elect the invention of Group I upon which Claims 1-4 are readable. In the event that one or more generic claims are found allowable, however, applicants request inclusion of the remaining claims directed to the provisionally non-elected invention.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #101919.56851C3).

Respectfully submitted,

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